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FOR: QUENTIN JONES (USDA, BELTSVILLE)

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SNAR, UN

SUBJECT: REASSIGNMENT OF C.S. GARRISON

REF: STATE 184321

FOLLOWING ARE TEXTS OF LETTERS FROM BRAENDEN TO QUENTIN  
JONES AND GARRISON DATED 2 SEPTEMBER 1974:

1. QUOTE: DEAR QUENTIN: IT WOULD BE APPRECIATED IF YOU WOULD  
TRANSMIT TO MR. GARRISON THE ENCLOSED LETTER, A COPY OF WHICH  
IS ATTACHED FOR YOUR INFORMATION. WHEN WE RECEIVED HIS REPLY,  
WE SHALL BE ABLE TO MAKE HIM A FORMAL OFFER AND TO REQUEST  
YOU TO ARRANGE FOR HIS RELEASE FROM THE AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH  
SERVICE IN ORDER TO WORK FOR THE UNITED NATIONS LABORATORY.  
SIGNED OLAV J. BRAENDEN. UNQUOTE.

2. QUOTE DEAR MR. GARRISON: I WOULD BE GLAD TO KNOW IF YOU  
WOULD AGREE, IN PRINCIPLE, TO ACT AS A CONSULTANT TO OUR  
LABORATORY IN CONNECTION WITH OUR RESEARCH PROJECT TO  
INCREASE CODEINE PRODUCTION.

"THE APPOINTMENT WOULD BE FOR ONE YEAR IN THE FIRST INSTANCE  
AND, IN AGREEMENT WITH DR. JONES, IT IS SUGGESTED THAT YOU  
BE HEADQUARTERED IN BELTSVILLE IN ORDER TO TAKE ADVANTAGE  
OF CONTACT WITH AGRICULTURAL EXPERTS THERE. PROVISION  
WOULD BE MADE FOR YOU TO COME TO GENEVA TWICE A YEAR FOR  
DETAILED DISCUSSIONS ON VARIOUS ASPECTS OF THE RESEARCH.

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PROVISION WOULD ALSO BE MADE FOR YOU TO UNDERTAKE SUCH OTHER

MISSIONS AS DR. JONES AND I MIGHT CONSIDER NECESSARY FOR THE PROJECT. THE QUESTION OF PART-TIME SECRETARIAL SUPPORT FOR YOUR WORK CAN ONLY BE DISCUSSED AFTER YOUR APPOINTMENT, BUT WE WOULD ENDEAVOUR TO PROVIDE YOU WITH THE ASSISTANCE NEEDED.

"YOUR MAIN RESPONSIBILITY WOULD BE THE ASSEMBLING, MAINTENANCE, DEVELOPMENT AND EVALUATION OF SEED COLLECTIONS OF VARIETIES AND FORMS OF PAPAVER SOMNIFERUM FROM VARIOUS PARTS OF THE WORLD. WE HOPE THAT YOU WILL ALSO ADVISE US ON THE INITIATION, DEVELOPMENT AND EVALUATION OF CERTAIN STUDIES RELEVANT TO IMPROVING YIELDS OF DESIRED ALKALOIDS FROM THE OPIUM POPPY.

"IN ORDER TO DETERMINE A SUITABLE REMUNERATION FOR THIS CONSULTANTSHIP, IT WOULD BE HELPFUL FOR US TO KNOW YOUR PRESENT EARNINGS PER ANNUM (BASIC SALARY, ALLOWANCES, APPROXIMATE TAKE-HOME PAY AND APPROXIMATE TAX PAYMENTS).

"WHEN WE HAVE YOUR REPLY, WE SHALL BE ABLE TO MAKE YOU A FORMAL OFFER AND TO REQUEST YOUR RELEASE FROM THE AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH SERVICE IN ORDER TO WORK FOR THE UNITED NATIONS NARCOTICS LABORATORY. SINCERELY, OLAV J. BRAENDE. UNQUOTE. DALE

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